IS NOT IN FAVOR OF THE CHAPLAINS

to Aid in Getting "Justice" to Those in Navy.

The Religious Herald, the organ of the Baptists of Virginia, declines to grant the use such influence as it may have with the Virginia representatives in Congress to secure "justice" for a number of Bap-

tist navy chaptains. Recently the editors of the Herald have beer in receipt of several communications calling upon it to take some action. Recent military legislation, it is said, has discriminated against the navy chaplains, and the Herald is asked to interest itself in the matter. But the Herald declines to do so, and states its reasons in no uncertain fashion, declaring that there is a vast humbuggery about the chaplain business. The editorial says in part:

Now, there have been many noble chaplains—men who counted not their lives dear unto themselves that they might serve their comrades and honor their Lord. And yet, in the very nature of the case, the chaplain is an official of the government, and there is nothing which will take the heart out of religious service so promptly and effectively as the atmosphere and spirit of officialdom. There is voats humbuggery about this chaplain business, certainly in time of peace. All sorts of political wires are pulled in order to secure an appointment. Too frequently men who have failed in other directions find comfortable berths in these chaplains. do so, and states its reasons in no un men who have failed in other directions find comfortable berths in these chaplaincies. The religious service which these chaplans render is too often merely formal and perfunctory. Drop in at the opening of either house of Congress and observe the attendance at the opening prayer. A few Senators or Representatives, as the case may be, standing listlessly and inattentively, and a hastily mumbled petition, to which no one seems to pay the least attention. Plainly, there is very little heart in the business. If we did not have this governmental meddling with religion, the various religious sects would gladly make all needful provision for the spiritual needs of soldiers and sailors, Senators and Representatives. As a matter of fact, it is true that the most vital and efficient religious work done in our late war with Spain was some by voluntary organizations.

With these views of the situation, we feel constrained to decline to use any influence which we might possibly have to secure any legislation which tends to perpetuate the chaplaincy business. It is, as we believe, utterly unnecessary, ineffective, and in its very essence subversive of liberty of conscience.

10+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 Fulton News.

People's Drug Store
Fulton Bureau,
Real estate is on a boom in Fulton at
the present time and a number of private sales have been made recently, it
was stated yesterday that several handsome brick stores would be erected on
Williamsburg Avenua next menth. Several stores are undergoing repairs at
present.
A number of the recent

present.

A number of the young people of Fulton gave a pound party and sociable at the residence of Miss Agnes Grimes last night for a charitable purpose.

Invitations were issued, stating that

TONNAGE TAX BILL GOES BY

Gen. Ayers and Others Heard in Opposition.

TONEY BILL IS REPORTED

Measure to Sell Municipal Franchises Meets Approval-Oyster Matters Disposed Of-Other Legislation Of Much Importance.

The House Committee on Finance two long sessions yesterday and considered the bill offered by Mr. Whitehead, of Norfolk, to impose a tax of three cents per ton on all ores mined in this State, and after many speeches in opposition the further consideration postponed until Monday, February 16th, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Among those who spoke against the bill were General Rufus A. Ayers, of Wise; Major Ri L. Parrish, of Covington; Mr. J. Norment Powell, of Wythe, and J. F. Bullett, of Wise.

They all earnestly contended that the bill would be hazardous to the mining interests of the Southwest and pleaded for an adverse report. The bill was postponed on account of death in the postponed on account of death in the family of Judge A. A. Phlegar, who desires to be heard on the subject.

From what can be gathered, the bill will sikely fail in its present form, though some measure may be adopted, placing a specific license tax upon the mining companies. Senator Barksfaile offered a bill in the Senate which is very similar to that of Mr. Whitehead.

The fight for the Jamestown appropria-tion bill will be renewed and concluded before the House Finance Committee at 10 o'clock this morning, when General Fitzhugh Lee, president of the company, and Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson will speak

and Hon. J. Taylor Ellyson will speak for the measure.

A great deal of missionary work has been done by members in favor of the bill during the last few days, and those in charge of the measure are very hopeful of its passage.

In discussing the question as to whether or not the State could afford to make the appropriation, Mr. Gwynn T. Shepperd, secretary of the company, said last night:

perd, secretary of the company, said last night:
"Under the new Constitution of Vir-ginia, all railroad and canal companies are required to pay to the State treas-ury 1 per cent. of their gross earnings. The travel to and from the exposition in 18M will so increase the gross earnings. 1907 will so increase the gross earnings of the various raliroa. companies in the State and those which will be constructnecessary by the exposition, that instead of receiving \$300,000 from this source, as is estimated by Auditor Marys, the State will receive at a very conservative esti-mate, at least \$600,000, so that were the state to appropriate \$200,000, as is asked for in the bill how pending before the Legislature, the State will be paid back in full and have a clear profit of \$100,000 as its portion of the receipts from holding the exposition.

The House Committee on Chesapeake and its Tributaries yesterday dis-posed of two measures that have been

posed of two measures that have been up for several days, and carried the local bill as to lands in Westmoreland county over until this morning.

The body reported favorably the bill of Hon. E. C. Jordon, of Frederick, to require oystermen in the James River, from Day Point up, to pay 4 license tax instead of \$2 as at present, for the brivilege of taking seed cysters from the said waters. The bill was earnostly fought by the cystermen. The bill of Mr. Edwards to shorten the season by striking wards to shorten the season by striking off September was adversely reported af-ter a speech of nearly three hours in opposition by Colonel W. W. Sale, of Norfolk. The bill was advocated by the State Board of Fisheries and opposed by the planters.

The bill to break the Baylor sunvey will

There will be two new members of the House of Delegates during the present session, and possibly three.

In a few days Speaker Ryan will issue a writ of election for a successor to Hon. W. B. Clarke, late a member from Prince George and Surry, and on the 3d March Hon. R. G. Southall will retire to take his seat in Congress, thus entailing a special election for the district composed of the counties of Amelia and Nottoway. The retirement of Mr. Southall will leavy. the counties of Amelia and Nottoway. The retirement of Mr. Southall will leave the chairmanship of the Committee for Courts of Justice vacant, and inasmuch as Mr. Duke, the ranking member, is already chairman of an important committee, it is not unlikely that the honor may go to Hon. N. B. Early, Jr., of Greene, who is next in line. The House will to-day act upon the McLean case, and if the member is unseated there will be a new member from Mecklenburg county.

In connection with the bills offered by Mr. Edwards to transfer certain oyster bettoms in Westmoreland county to private parties, it has been stated that in opposing them Hon. C. Conway Baker did not represent the voice of ...s people. Mr. Baker is in receipt of a series of resolutions adopted by a mass meeting of citizens held in his county on January 80th, endorsing his course. The meeting is said to have been attended by nearly 800 citizens, and an extract from the resolutions is as follows:

'That we heartly sudorse the course of our faithful representative, Hon. C. Conway Baker, in the efforts he has so far made to defeat the proposed legislation in the House of Delegates, and most earnestly request him and also our distinguished State Senator, Hon. C. Harding Walker, to use all legitimate means within their power to defeat said bill and all others introduced for a similar purpose.' In connection with the bills offered by

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Entirely new pat-terns, extra fine, new and very at-tractive patterns. The usual 16360 quality, special—

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Snapshots Taken

resources at both." General Ayers left for his home last night.

had a rather peculiar experience in his room at Murphy's the other night, which looked at one time as if it might have some serious results. About midnight the popular member was sleeping soundly when he was awakened by an awful crash. He sprang from his bed, and his room was clouded with dust, which he at first mistook for smoke. Upon making a light, however, he discovered that it was dust, and that from some cause the plastering had fallen from about half of the ceiling. Fortunately none fell over Mr. Caton's bed, so he escaped unharmed.

The Jamestown Exposition people have The Jamestown Exposition people have placed in Murphy's lobby a very handsome oil ploture of how the big show will look, with Hampton Roads strung with the navies of the world. Just below the picture is a map showing the location where the Exposition proper will be located.

Among the distinguished guests registered at Murphy's is ex-Governor E. W. (Windy) Wilson, of West Virginia. Governor Wilson is in the city on private business, and was an attractive figure in the lobby last night.

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Hon. W. B. Bowles, of Salem, formerly a member of the House, were among their friends at Murphy's last night.

Wirginians here list ingat were Murphy's—John J. Foster, Norfolk; W. E. Harris, Charlottesville; R. L. Parrish, Covington; H. L. Moorman, Boydton; Willis A. Jenkins, Newport News; S. L. Wasserman, Norfolk; W. E. Burns and daughter, Lebanon; W. B. Bowlos, Salem; Gwyn T. Shepperd, Norfolk; C. S. Sherwood, Portsmouth.
Lexington—J. B. Taylor and wife, Virginia.

Sunday-School Workers was devoted to the discussion of methods best for the organization of Sunday-schools. The dis-cussion was led by Rev. W. B. Spillman, of Nashville, Tenn.

THE RIGHT THING.

A New Catarrh Cure Which is Rapidly

For several years, Red Gum, Blood root and Hydrastin have been recognized as standard remedies for catarrhal troubles, but they have always been given separately and only very recently an ingenious chemist succeeded in combining them, togother with other antiseptics into a pleasant, effective tablet.

Druggiets soil the remedy under the name of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and it has met with remarkable success in the cure of nasal catarrh, bronchial and throat catarrh and in catarris of the stomach. veral years, Red Gum, Blood root

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Mr. F. N. Benton, whose address is care of Clark House, Troy, N. Y., says: "When I run up against anything that is good I like to tell people of it. I have been troubled with catarrh more or less for some time. Last winter more than ever. Tried several so-called cures, but did not get any benefit from them. About six weeks ago I bought a 50-cent box of Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and I am glad to say that they have done wonders for me and I do not hesitate to let all my friends know that Stuart's Catarrh Tablets are the right thing."

Mr. George J. Casanova, of Hotel Griffon, West Ninth Street, New York city, writes: "I have commenced using Stuart's Catarrh Tablets and already they have given me better results than any catarrhe care I have ever tried." Injustion were is abused, stating that the pounds were for a very worthy farily who were in distress, and the response was very liberal.

Rev. G. W. Sheriff, of Chester, Pennsylvania, who has been on a visit to his father, Rev. G. W. Sheriff, of Varian, and returned home and will resume his sundes at Crozior Sendinary.

Mr. John T. Neagle is quite ill at his residence on Lesier Street.

Mrs. James T. Grant is sick at her residence on Nicholson Sireot.

Mrs. Charles E. Brown left Tuesday for waternoon for Cincinnati, Olio, to visit her old home. Mrs. Brown, will remain several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Harman Doyle.

Captain J. M. Bryant left Tuesday for Washington on a business trip. It is rumored the National Cometery, under Captain Bryant's supervision, will be erlarged shortly. The cometery is nearly filled. Soveral veterans of the Spanish-American War have been interred there recently.

Miss Katle Lambert entertained a number of her friends on Monday night at her residence on Louisians Street.

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Time for Payments of Money Extended to March 1st.

TWELVE THOUSAND DUE

A Final Urgent Appeal Issued by Rev Dr. W. E. Hatcher, Who is Striving Earnestly to Save

The commissioners of the court at Bristol, Va., have agreed to extend until March 1st the time for the payment of the \$12,000 due on the Virginia Institute ocated there, but announce that this will he the last. If the conditions are not med by that date the school will be sold, and the valuable property will be lost to the

Dr. W. E. Hatcher, president of the Board of Trustees of Richmond College. who is making valiant struggles to save

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the Institute, has issued a final urgent
appeal, in which he makes some plain
statements. He says in part:
"At the meeting of the Baptist
Education Commission on the 22d
of January, the commissioners of
the court at Bristol were requested to grant more time for raising
the \$12,000 for the relief of our school
property in that city. That request was
presented through Brother R. Cabell
Hening, a member of the Baptist commission, and the reply has been received.
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The commissioners of the court decided that they cannot grant longer time than March ist. This gives us just one month from this time that the decision of the court at Bristol is announced.

'I place these facts before the Baptists of Virginia that they may understand the real situation. What is done will have to be done during February, and unless the rest of the money can be secured by the expiration of that time, the effort to save Bristol will end in failure. I state the matter in bold and undisguised terms, and appeal to our people to come to the rescue. I appeal to those churches which have not already taken collections to do so at once, I appeal to those churches which have fallen below their apportionment to raise the deficiency and forward it at once. I appeal to generous friends all over the State for personal contributions. I appeal to our Baptist women, who are unwilling to see this school property lost, to send us a contribution at once. I appeal to the pastors, the real leaders of the people, to do their duty in this emergency.

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the people, to do their duty in this emergency.

"I am aware of the fast that many good people have withheld their gifts because they thought they had sufficient reasons for doing so; but I would ask them that, inasmuch as this effort to save our school at Bristol is made under the direct instruction of the Virginia Baptists, that they will fell into line and do their duty. I appeal to pastors in whose churches there may not be the warmest sympathy with this effort to make the appeal with all the arder and power of their hearts."

TOOK A BRIDE HERE

Mr. Robert Royal Roane, of Newpor News, Weds Miss Mary Marino.

Mr. Robert Royal Roane, of Newpor News, and Miss Mary Angeline Marino News, and hiss Mary Angeline Marino, of Richmond, were married at Union Station Methodist Church at 8 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Rev. Dr. John Hannon, the pastor, officiating. A number of friends of the young couple witnessed the agreement

or friends of the young couple witnessed the ceremony.
Mr. and Mrs. Roane left at 4 o'clock for Newport News, where the groom is employed as a draughtsman in the ship-yards.

HER CREW MUTINIED

The Annie Milford Leaking and Nothing More Heard from Her.

(By Associated Press.)
BREMER HAVEN, GERMANY, February 4.-Captain Webster, of the British ruary 4.—Captain Wobster, of the British steamer Mount Royal, which arrived here from New Orleans, January 10th, reported having sighted January 18th, the American Annie L. Mulford, Captain Flentege from Charleston, January 5th, for New York, leaking badly. Captain Flentege reported that his crew mutinid January 18th and attacked him. The captain, however, declined the offer of Captain Webster to transfer the men to the Mount Royal, but asked for the latitude and longitude, which were given him, together with the course to steer for Sand; Hook and the distance to that point.

An examination of the maritime regis-ters available does not show that the Anna L. Mulford has reached any port since she was spoken by the Mount

Will Tow the Mattie Newman.

DELAWARE BREAKWATER, DEL. February 4.—The schooner Mattle New man, from New York for Richmond (be fore reported arrived here in distri will be towed to Richmond by the

THE BUILDINGS WILL BE REBUILT

Mr. Younger Will Lose No Time Getting Ready for Business Again.

Up to this time it has been impossible to make any careful estimate of the damages resulting from the fire Tuesday night, which destroyed the wholesale grocery and liquor store of L. C. Younger and Company, on Virginia Street. An expert will be put to work in a day or so and some idea of the situation will be

and some idea of the situation will be obtained.

Meanwhile it is generally conceded that the loss will approximate \$100,000. The buildings, with the exception of the outside walls, which are still standing, are entirely gone, and will of themselves foot up some \$25,000 or \$30,000. The stock, so far as an examination has been made, is found to be almost a complete loss. Some portions were saved, but by far the great bulk of it went with the buildings. The stock was valued at \$50,000.

As stated before, the three stores occupled by the firm were fully covered by insurance. The places will be rebuilt at once and will be again occupied by Mr. Younger. Meanwhile the latter will move into temporary quarters and will at once restock. He intends to lose no time in opening for business again.

HEADACHE



ANNUAL SALE, TEN MILLION BOXES

This will be opinion day in the Supreme Court of Appeals. Several decisions will be rendered, and probably among the number will be that involving the larger portion of the estate of the late James W. Allison. LEGAL NOTICE.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEDTING OF CREDITORS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA. In the Matter of No. 446.

ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:
In the Matter of No. 445.
FRANK L CHERRY, In
Bankrupt, No. 445.
To the creditors of FRANK L CHERRY,
of Richmend, in the county of Henrico,
and district aforesaid, Notice is hereby given that on the M
day of February A D. 1833, the said
FRANK L CHERRY was ally adjudicated
a bankrupt, and that the first meeting of
his creditors will be held in my office.
Room No. 10. Postoffice Building, Richmond, Virginia on the 16th DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1933, at 10 o'cleck in the
forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt,
and transact such other business as may
properly come before said meeting,
RO. H. TALLEY,
February 4, 1838.
Referee in Bankrupto,
February 4, 1838.
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NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:
In the Matter of No. 487.
LOUIS RAWLINGS.

ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA:

In the Matter of No. 47.

JAS. H. NOWLAN, In

Bankrupt, Bankrupto,

To the creditors of JAS. H. NOWLAN, of
Richmond, in the county of Henrico,
and district aforesaid, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 2d day
of February, A. D. 1803, the said JAS. H.
NOVLAN was duly adjudicated a bankrut; and that the first meting of his
creditors will be held in my office, Room
No. 10, Postoffice Building, Richmond,
Virginia, on the 18th DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1803, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors
may attend, proye their claims, appoint a
l'instee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly
come before said meeting.

ROO. H. TALLLEY,
February 4, 1903, Attorney for Bankrupt,
No assets returned in bankrupt's schedules.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of THE E. B. TAYLOR COMPANY will be held at the office of the Company, No. 1011 East Main Street, Richmond, Va., on MONDAY, March 9, 1903, at 4 o'clock P. M. CHARLES K. COULLING, Secretary and Treasurer.

Richmond, Va., Feb. 2, 1963.

NOTICE.—THE ANNUAL MEETING OF the Stockholders of the VIRGINIA HOT SPRINGS COMPANY, for the purpose of electing Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting, will be hold at the office of the Company, Chosapenke and Ohio Rallway General Office Building, in the city of Richmond, Va., on TUESDAY, February 24, 1903, at 12 ofclock M. The transfer books will be closed on Monday, February 16, 1903, at 3 P. M., and remain closed until 10 A. M. Wednesday, February 25, 1963.

A. TREVVETT, Secretary.

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MASONIC NOTICE—A STATED Communication of JOPPA LODGE. Will be held at the Masonic Temple THURSDAY, 5th instant, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. Members of sister lodges and transfent brethron are fraternally invited to be present.

By Order of the W. M.

GEORGE C. JEFFERSON, Secretary.

ALL ROYAL ARCH MASONS
are cordially invited to attend a
Stated Convocation of RICHMOND
ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER, No. 3, at the
Masons' Hall on Franklin Street THIS
EVENING at 7:30 o'elock
By Order of the M. B. H. P.
GEO. F. KEESEID, Seo'y.

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AUCTION SALES-THIS DAY.

By Edward S. Rose Company, Real Estate Auctioneers.

NOS, 237, 239, 241 AND 243 SOUTH LAUREL STREET.

G. W. KOINER TALKS ON EXPOSITION

Religious Herald Not Inclined | Says Virginia Will Do Herself Proud at the St, Louis Show.

> Hon. G. W. Kolner, president of the ginia, when asked yesterday what Virginia would do at the Exposition, said: "We propose to display as extensively as the ap_k1cpriation will admit, the real resources of Virginia. While Virginia reveres her past history from its very dawn, from the building on her shore at Jamestown by the white man the first cabin, the first village, the first church, the first State Capitol on this continuit. And from this little coton

continent. And from this little colony of free men have gone out millions of her people until they have reached the shores of the great ocean on the west. But Virginia will meet and greet her sister States at St. Louis in a great, her sister States at St. Louis in a great, friendly contest, where she will be shown as she is to-day—her wealth in soil and mine, in forest and factory, in transportation facilities and markets, in salubrity of climate, and unsurpassed advantage of location. She will show that on her soil can be grown any products grown in the United States, except the tropical, and her great variety of minerals, wood, grains, grasses, trucks, vegetables, fruits, the finest ever shown; tobacco, peanuts; the products of her rivers, bay and séa; manufactured products of great skill and magnitude. These exhibits will show what Virginia is today, and the opportunities that invite the home seeker, the investor, the miner, where mountains of coal and ore and forest are waiting development; the manu-

where mountains of coal and ore and forest are waiting development; the manufacturer, where he can secure thousands of horse power from her streams that are now idle.

"The live stock that Virginia will show will give evidence of the great opportunities offered now in Virginia to stockmen. Her green fields are at the door of the eastern markets, and she has the finest exporting port on her shore.

"We will show that in salubrity of climate, kindness of soil, facilities in transportation and opportunities for investment of capital, Virginia excels them all.

all.
"Ies, Virginia will meet her children thate, who have wandered 'far from home,' and invite them to come back as wtary pilgrims to spend their best days in the land of their fathers."

BOUND HAND TOOT With muscles drawn and throbbing with pain, and joints swollen, stiff and tender, the rheumatic patient is as helpless and dependent as though bound hand and foot. No disease causes such intense suffering, such sharp, nerve-racking pains as Rheumatism, and this unfeeling monster, unless checked, crushes the strength and hope of its victims.

When the system becomes infected with Uric Acid and other like poisons they are absorbed into the blood and lodged in the muscles, joints and nerves. Then with the suddenness of an electric shock, pains begin to shoot through themuscleor joint affected, which often swells and inflames, and becomes tender.

affected, which of the stender, inflames, and becomes tender, feverish and sore. Unless treated through the blood Rheumatism growssteadily worse, finally ending in shrunken muscles, inmovable joints shaky nerves, and the invalid's chair of crutches. The cure of Rheumatism can the complete or permanent until the

AT BRISTOL

the School.

Baptist denomination.

in Hotel Lobbies

"My visit has absolutely no political significance," said General Rufus A. Ayers, of Big Stone Gap, to a Times-Dispatch representative at Murphy's last Dispatch representative at Murphy's last sight, in reply to a question. "I do not known yet whether or not I shall enter the gubernatorial race. It is too early to give the matter much consideration yet, but if I do run, I will go in to win. I am very grateful to the friends who liave been kind enough to link my name with the honor, whether I shall stand or not. The people out my way are prosperous and are deeply interested in both expositions. They will help to make both a success, and may be relied upon to have a creditable exhibit of their resources at both." General Ayers left

Colonel James R. Caton, of Alexandria

Judge J. B. Sener, of Washington, D. C., president of the Alumni Association of the University of Virginia, is in the city, and was at Murphy's last night.

Mr. T. E. Jamison, of the Roanoke Grocery and Milling Company, is in the

Major S. Heth Tyler, of Norfolk, and

Virginians here last night were: Murphy's-John J. Foster, Norfolk; W

Sunday-School Workers. ATLANTA, GA., February 4,—To-day's session of the midwinter conference of the Third District of the International

Coming to the Front.

THIS OPINION DAY

IN SUPREME COURT This will be opinion day in the Suprem

LOUIS RAWLINGS,

Bankrupt.

To the creditors of LOUIS RAWLINGS, or Richmond, in the county of Henrico, and district aforesaid, bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 22d day of December, A. D. 1902, the said LOUIS RAWLINGS was duly adjudicated a bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held in my office, Room No. 10, Postoffice Building, Richmond, Virginia, on the 12th DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1993, at 10 o'clock in the forencon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

RO: H. TALLEY,
February 2, 1903.

Referee in Bankruptcy,
Julian Bryant, Attorney for Bankrupt.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EAST-ERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA: In the Matter of No. 447.

Office Va. Fire and Marine ins. Co. Richmond, Va. Feb. \$, 1802.
STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—THE FREUDRICH AND ALL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—THE FREUDRICH AND ALL STOCKHOLDERS' Office, No. 1015 E. Main Street, in this city, on TUESDAY, the 17th instant, at 12 o'clock, WM. H. MCARTHY, Secretary.

COR RENT. WHOLE FLOOR, NORTHEAST COR-eer of Ninth and Main Streets, lately co-rupled by Virginia Passenger and Poy-Company. Finest offices in the city, Pos-

FOR RENT. FIRE BRICK BUILDING FOR LIGHT

on Shockoe Slip. Convenient to power. Considerable floor space and nice office. E. A. CATLIN,

GRAND SECRETARY.

Recognising the great demand for houses of this character upon the street named, we, by way of pleasing and appearing the desire of home and investment seekers, have decided to soil by auction, upon the premises, on THURSDAY THE 5TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 1908, AT 4 CCLOCK P. M. the above located DWELLINGS. Each dwelling contains five rooms with the usual conveniences found in such houses, As it is soldom that opportunities of a like character are offered, we bespeak an overflow of bidders, which should mean a spirited competition for the four prizes herein named.

TERMS—At sale.

EDWARD S. ROSE COMPANY, Auctioneers.

By E. A. Catlin, Real Estate Auctioneer. 5 North Eleventh Street.

PRUSTEES AUCTION SALE NO. 417 N. THIRTY-FIRST STREET

NO. 417 N. THIRTY-FIRST STREE!

In execution of a certain deed of trust to the undersigned trustee, dated April 18, 1888, and recorded in the clerk's office of Richmond Chancery Court, D. B. 181 "B." page 115, I will sell at public auction, upon the premises, on THURBDAY, FEBRUARY, 5, 1938 at 4:30 o'clock P. M., the property described in said deed of trust as follower "All that certain lot or parcel of land, with the improvements thereon, lying and being in the city of Richmond, Va. commending at a point on the west line of Thirty-first Street, distant ninety (60) fee south from Clay Street, thence running southerly along Thirty-first Street, and fronting thereon twonty-three (22) fees and extending back from said front be tween lines parallel with Clay Street on hundred and sixteen (116) feet to an alley TERMS—By agreement will be made liberal.

E. A. CALTIN Trusteen

Geo. W. Mayo, Auctioneer. 1206 E. Main Street. O RGAN, PIANOS, SHOW-CASES MATTING, IRON BEDDS, FURNI TURE, ETC., AT AUCTION.

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